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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear sirs:

After extensively reading over the proposed settlement in the Microsoft case, I feel that the proposal is more than sufficient remedy in the case.

Having been a computer user for over 10 years, I feel that no company has done more for the home personal computer industry than Microsoft. The inovations and ease of use of their operating system has made it very easy for new computer users to accomplish complicated tasks using their computers. Also the standardization of Operating System to Windows has helped to make it much easier for companies etc. to train employees to use the computers at their businesses.

I totally abhor the few companies that scream running to the DOJ to fight for them because they can not compete on their own merits. IE Sun, Netscape, AOL, and others mentioned in the Microsoft suit. Just because they can not come up with a compeing product that is as easy to use as Microsoft they go screaming foul and anti-trust and monopoly to the government.

I therefore urge you to settle this case with the current propsed settlement. The continuation of litigation in this case agains Microsoft will do nothing more than hurt the consumer and waste tax dollars that could be better spent somewhere else.

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